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**Amendment**

LCO No. 3807

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Offered by:

SEN. CRISCO, 17<sup>th</sup> Dist.

REP. FONTANA, 87<sup>th</sup> Dist.

To: Subst. Senate Bill No. 260

File No. 247

Cal. No. 186

**"AN ACT CONCERNING HEALTH INSURANCE COVERAGE FOR  
ROUTINE PATIENT CARE COSTS FOR CERTAIN CLINICAL TRIAL  
PATIENTS."**

1 Strike lines 179 to 207, inclusive, in their entirety and insert the  
2 following in lieu thereof:

3 "(a) For purposes of [cancer] clinical trials, the Insurance  
4 Department, in cooperation with [the Connecticut Oncology  
5 Association, the American Cancer Society,] the Connecticut  
6 Association of Health Plans, [and] Anthem Blue Cross of Connecticut  
7 and organizations having specialized knowledge of cancer, Parkinson's  
8 disease and multiple sclerosis clinical trials, shall develop a  
9 standardized form that all providers, hospitals and institutions shall  
10 submit to the insurer or health care center when seeking to enroll an  
11 insured person in a [cancer] clinical trial. An insurer or health care  
12 center [may] shall not substitute any other approval request form for  
13 the form developed by the department, except that any insurer or  
14 health care center that has entered into an agreement to provide

15 coverage for [cancer] clinical trials approved pursuant to section 38a-  
16 504g may use the form or process established by such agreement."

17 Strike lines 434 to 462, inclusive, in their entirety and insert the  
18 following in lieu thereof:

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22 Association of Health Plans, [and] Anthem Blue Cross of Connecticut  
23 and organizations having specialized knowledge of cancer, Parkinson's  
24 disease and multiple sclerosis clinical trials, shall develop a  
25 standardized form that all providers, hospitals and institutions shall  
26 submit to the insurer or health care center when seeking to enroll an  
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29 the form developed by the department, except that any insurer or  
30 health care center that has entered into an agreement to provide  
31 coverage for [cancer] clinical trials approved pursuant to section 38a-  
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